

YOU CAN ONLY WASTE THE PASSING MOMENT. YOU CANNOT WASTE TOMORROW; IT IS KEPT FOR YOU.—Arnold Bennett

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## Around the town

See the PTA Thanksgiving Basket at Brooks' store.

Warren Brown of Gilead is working at Bryant's Market.

Hubert Briggs of Auburn was a week-end guest of Errol Donahue Jr.

Mrs. Tena Thurston is very ill at the home of her son, Hugh Thurston.

Charles Freeman is recovering from injuries received in a fall recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Donahue and son Howard spent the week-end in Lewiston.

Mrs. Eva Fox has returned home from Portland, where she has been for several months.

Miss Annie MacKinnon of Rumford spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Norris Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meserve have moved from their farm to spend the winter at Mrs. Henry Bennett's.

Mr. and Mrs. John St. Clair and two children of Cape Elizabeth were week-end guests of Mrs. Fred L. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Hodson moved Saturday to the Hanover Dowel Company rent on lower Main Street.

Miss Barbara Coolidge went to Providence, R. I., Monday, where she has a position in the Roger Williams Hospital.

Richard Davis has started construction of a sawmill in the Peterkin field which he recently bought near Alder River bridge.

Correction: The American Legion and Auxiliary will sponsor a Beano game for the benefit of the school lunch program Thursday, Nov. 13. It was reported last week to be Oct. 30.

Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven and Sterling Pierce, students at the University of Maine, Brunswick campus, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven.

Mary Ford celebrated her ninth birthday on Tuesday of last week at her home. Games were played and refreshments, including a birthday cake made by her mother, Mrs. Norman Ford, were served. Those present were Sandra Myers, Carolyn Chadbourne, Sylvia Dyke, Rachel Kneeland, Judy Freeman, Norma Ford, Glenyce Berry and Carla Grover.

Thirty-two were present at the meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening. Robert Blake spoke on problems of the local fire department and Kimball Ames gave a report of the State Chamber of Commerce meeting at Portland and opened a short discussion on European relief. This was followed by the showing of two moving pictures.

Rachel Kneeland was the guest of honor at a party Saturday afternoon in honor of her tenth birthday. Refreshments were served including a birthday cake, and gifts were presented to the guest. The group attended the movies. Those present were: Carolyn Chadbourne, Glenyce Berry, Barbara Reynolds, Sandra Myers, Mary Ford, Judy Freeman, Elizabeth York, Eva Morrill, Carla Grover and Lillian Currier.

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to be given at the  
Rebekah Card Party  
November 20.

**BEANO**  
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LEGION ROOMS  
THURSDAY, NOV. 13

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Annual Christmas Sale**  
at  
Odd Fellows Hall  
**Thursday, Nov. 13**  
DOORS OPEN AT 2:30 P. M.

## Korea In News



**SEOUL, KOREA** — (Soundphoto) — Lt. Gen. John R. Hodge (left), American Occupation Chief in Korea, is shown conferring with Col. Gen. Terence Shitkov, Chief of the Russian Delegation to the joint Soviet-American Commission on Korea at Seoul, at a former friendly meeting. When they met again Gen. Shitkov personally demanded that Gen. Hodge remove T. S. Chang, Chief of Police at Seoul in the US Occupation zone. Shitkov made the demand after Seoul newspapers quoted Chang as joining in charges that the Soviet delegation has engaged in propaganda and espionage activities in the US zone of South Korea. Shitkov said: "I place full responsibility for this declaration upon the American Military command." Gen. Hodge said he would study the Soviet demand.

Mrs. William Penner has completed her duties as teacher at Upton and went this week to Rumford Point, where she will teach the Primary grades.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller of Montgomery, Penna., returned home Friday after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Brooks entertained at contract last Thursday evening. Richard Waldron received the first prize and Mrs. Waldron the consolation. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Murray Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Scothorne, Mrs. Herbert Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Waldron, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks.

A party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tiscander at their camp at Songo Pond Friday evening. The group were in costume and enjoyed games and refreshments. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Leland Mason, Mr. and Mrs. William Von Zintz, Mrs. Grace Macfarlane, Miss Julia Brown, Miss Joyce Swan, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Van Den Kerckhoven, and Floyd Mason.

A Halloween party was held last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Glenn Murphy.

Games and dancing were enjoyed by the group. Those present were: Arnold Brown, Laurier Kittredge, Joyce Murphy, Phyllis Smith, Patricia Rolfe, Patricia Davis, Harold Bartlett, Norma Enman, Ruth Murphy, Frank Stone, Viola Olson, Nancy Dupee, Roger Adams, Walter Osgood, Keith Wilson, Eugene Brown, Paul Murphy, Carroll Luxon, Roy Murphy, Janice Lord, Margery Rowe, Sarah Dorlan, Marilyn Mace, Marilyn Daye, Kathryn Wilson, Principal Charles Chapman, Frank Murphy, James Murphy, and Mrs. R. Glenn Murphy.

The Five Town Teachers' Club met at the Bethel Primary School Monday evening. The president, Principal Charles Chapman, appointed the following nominating committee to report at the next meeting: Miss Helen Varner, Mrs. Blanche Howe, and Mrs. Helen Newmarker. It was voted to sponsor a card party Nov. 21 at the Primary Building. The proceeds will be used to buy books and supplies for the schools which were burned during the recent fires in the Brownfield area. Mrs. Olive Lurvey and Miss Helen Varner will be in charge of this card party. The next meeting will be Dec. 8, following the business meeting, games and refreshments were enjoyed.

## W. EDGAR COOLIDGE

Wallace Edgar Coolidge passed away early Wednesday morning at his home at East Bethel after an illness of six weeks.

He was born in Errol, N. H., March 10, 1876, the son of the late John and Sybil Paine Coolidge. Forty-four years ago he moved from Errol to East Bethel where he has been engaged in farming and logging.

Mr. Coolidge is survived by his wife, Mary Knapp Coolidge; seven children, Wallace, Floyd, Lester, Almon, Leland, and Mrs. Sybil Farrar of Bethel, and Mrs. May Dunham of Lookie Mills; 21 grandchildren, six great grandchildren, and a brother, Hollis Coolidge, of Gorham, N. H.

Funeral services will be held at Greenleaf's funeral home at 2 o'clock, Friday afternoon. Burial will be at East Bethel.

## BERLIN HERE FOR FINAL HOME GAME

The final home game for Gould Academy will be this Saturday with Berlin, N. H., High School as the opponent. The grid season for the Huskies will be extended for a few days as the game with Fryeburg, cancelled during the fire hazard, will be played at Fryeburg on Armistice Day.

The Berlin-Gould game should be an interesting one. Both clubs have lost close decisions to Mexico and seem evenly matched. Coach Scott's regular starters are in shape to start against the New Hampshire visitors. The game scheduled for 2 p. m. on Alumni Field.

## ELEANOR GORDON GUILD

The Eleanor Gordon Guild met Wednesday, Nov. 5, at the home of Peggy Blake. Games and refreshments were enjoyed.

The Christmas Sale will be held Thursday, Nov. 13. The committee for the Sandwich Bar is Josephine Tripp, chairman, Dorothy Christie, Mary Angelvine, Arlene Brown, Althea Brown, Virginia Keniston, Vera Gallant, Abbie Gill. Greeting Cards and Stationery Table: Peggy Blake, Evelyn Roberts. Wreath Table: Mary Philbrick. Advertising: Virginia Keniston.

The next meeting will be held at Mary Paine's Nov. 19, with Abbie Gill, co-hostess. There will be a pot luck supper. Entertainment will be in charge of Althea Brown and Arlene Brown, and Betty Blake will lead devotions.

## GOULD TAKES RUMFORD 15-50

Gould Academy completed its most successful season since the start of Cross Country Running, by defeating Rumford 15-50 to remain undefeated for the year. Five Gould men came in "hand-in-hand" to finish with a five way tie for first place. Even at that it was the best time set on the Rumford course this year. The five winners finished the two and three quarter mile course in 15 min. 12.5 seconds.

Summary:  
1st Five way tie between Stinchfield, Hertell, Hlecock, Chadbourne, and Desautels; 6th Jordan (G); 7th Olson (G); 8th Warner (R); 9th Stearns (R); 10th McKinnies (R); 11th Dalton (R); 12th Brown (R).

The Misses Kate Wadsworth, Wanda White, and Margaret Ames of Wheelock College, Boston, spent the week-end at the Ames home.

During the winter months, E. L. Greenleaf, Optometrist, will not be at his office at the Corporation Building. For several years he has been in town the first Saturday of each month. He plans to resume his monthly visits next spring.

The American Legion Auxiliary is asking for gifts which will be sent to the Gift Shop at Togus. These gifts should be suitable for either women or children, especially children, and the veterans will select from the collection gifts which they will send at Christmas time. Local donations should be left at a box in the Bethel Mailing Co. store before Nov. 15.

## CARD OF APPRECIATION

We wish to thank our relatives, friends, neighbors, members of Oxford Bear Lodge, Pythian Sisters, I. W. Andrews and Son also employees of Hanover Dowel Co. for the kindness and sympathy shown us in our recent bereavement.

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Cecil Lapham and family  
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## DUMP OPEN WEEK-END

The Corporation Dump will be open Saturday and Sunday for the convenience of those wishing to dispose of rubbish.

## SUMNER SEWALL A U. S. SENATORIAL CANDIDATE

In the coming Primary Elections I shall be a candidate for Republican nomination for United States Senator.

The political problems of this country and also of the world will come before the United States Senate during the years lying immediately ahead.

The experience which I have had in war, in business, in State Government and in Military Government in Europe, should be of value in meeting the responsibilities of this office.

I am therefore making myself available and hope most sincerely that I may once again be given the happy privilege of serving the people of Maine.

## ALBERT N. FELT

Albert N. Felt, died suddenly of heart disease at his home in Woodstock, Friday morning. Born at Woodstock, Nov. 12, 1871, he was the son of Granville and Clarendia Whitman Felt. Mr. Felt was a member of the Franklin Grange, the Farm Bureau, and had served on the school board and as a selectman in Woodstock.

Surviving are three sons, Lester A. of East Corinth, Linwood N. of Bethel, and Richard G. of Bryant Pond; two daughters, Mrs. Alice Roberts of Locke Mills and Mrs. Marion Strout of Mechanic Falls; a brother, Earle Felt of Norway; 16 grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the Bryant Pond Baptist Church Sunday afternoon. Burial was in Lakeside Cemetery.

## SHOWER

Mrs. Frances Saunders was given a shower at the home of Virginia Keniston, Oct. 29, with Vera Gallant, Dorothy Christie, Evelyn Roberts, assisting. Those attending were: Mrs. William Roberts, Mrs. Ernest Gallant, Mrs. Mary Philbrick, Mrs. Robert Keniston, Mrs. Don Brown, Mrs. John Currier, Mrs. Clayton Blake, Mrs. Earlon Paine, Mrs. John Wright, Mrs. Ernest Blake, Mrs. Everett Bean, Mrs. Donald Christie, Mrs. Akel Anderson, Mrs. Malcolm Mundt, Mrs. Gardiner Gorman, Mrs. Raymond Tripp, Abbie Gill. Those sending gifts but were unable to attend were: Mrs. Avery Angelvine and Mrs. Robert Billings.

## MAINE EXTENSION WORKERS HELP IN FIRE EMERGENCY

Workers of the Maine Agricultural Extension Service pitched right in during the fire emergency to help feed and house evacuated people and farm animals and otherwise care for victims of the fires. Extension agents in several counties have been directing the feeding of the evacuees and firefighters, locating housing for livestock, surveying damage to farm buildings and land, and giving help and advice in making plans for rebuilding farm homes and buildings.

## The FTTC (Five Towns Teachers' Club)

will hold a public card party for the benefit of the schools of Brownfield and Newfield on Nov. 21 at 7:30 p. m. at the Primary School building. Bridge, whist and "33" will be played and refreshments will be on sale. There will be prizes and voluntary contributions.

## See See See

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## LOCAL RED CROSS DISASTER COMMITTEES NAMED

At a meeting held at the home of Dr. B. L. Brown Oct. 29 the following Disaster Committee and Sub-Committees of the Bethel Branch, American Red Cross, were appointed.

Disaster Committee — Addison Saunders, Chairman, Burton Newton, Robert Hastings

Survey Committee — P. H. Chadbourne, Chairman

Rescue Committee — Gardner Brown, Chairman

Medical Aid Committee — Dr. J. A. Matheson, Chairman

Shelter Committee — E. F. Ireland, Chairman

Food Committee — John Compass, Chairman, Mrs. John Compass

Clothing Committee — Olive Douglass, Chairman, Beatrice Brown, Hilda Donahue

Transportation and Communication Committee — Eugene Van, Chairman, Carroll Abbott.

Registration and Information Committee — Ida M. Packard, Alice J. Brooks

## ANNUAL CHURCH SALE TO BE HELD AT ODD FELLOWS' HALL

The Annual Christmas Sale of the Methodist Church will be held this year at the Odd Fellows' Hall due to repairs of the church kitchen. The Sale is being held a month earlier again this year, on Thursday, November 13, and with only a few weeks left to Christmas, many will find this a splendid opportunity to complete a great deal of their holiday shopping.

The Eleanor Gordon Guild will serve refreshments at the Sandwich Bar, to which the teen agers and other young people are especially invited after school.

A special feature for the children this year will be Santa's Treasure Chests, with their thrilling collections of mysterious packages.

This is the first sale since sugar rationing, and it is expected that the food table will be back to its original pre-war excellence. The Harvest table will offer canned foods, vegetables and fruit.

The Eleanor Gordon Guild will have its popular display of cards, stationery and gift wrappings. The Guild will also assist at the Christmas Decorations booth, where orders will be taken for wreaths to be delivered later.

The fancy work, promises to be lovelier than ever, and there will be an unusually large assortment of aprons, handkerchiefs and neckwear from which to choose.

The Children's table, one of the more popular gift sources, will feature clothing and toys for children of all ages, and an array of gifts for babies.

At the Homemakers' table will be found a variety of lovely and useful gifts for the home, including many new and novel ideas.

The doors will open at 2:30 p. m.

Miss Isabelle Bennett has recently been elected treasurer of her residence house, Slocum, at Russell Sage College, Troy, N. Y. Miss Bennett, a member of the freshman class, is a physical education major.

## GOULD WALKS AWAY FROM KENNETT, 25-0

Gould Academy annexed its fourth win of the season, against two defeats, when they ran roughshod over Kennett High of Conway, N. H. The line play of the winners showed marked improvement as they held the visitors to 3 first downs. The Huskies garnered 12 first downs and scored four times. Three of the touchdowns were accounted for by Davis who scored from the one, nine, and sixteen yard lines. He also set up the fourth touchdown by a 49 yard run carrying the ball to the opponents 12 yard line from where Dick Melville scored on the next play. Captain Bennett played a great game on the defense as he made tackle after tackle.

Kennett's outstanding performer was their fullback, Seavey. He was a hard man to bring down when carrying the ball and was a strong defensive player.

GOULD (25)	KENNETT (0)
Wood, le	Court, le
Young, le	Berry, le
Wright, le	Thompson, le
D. Bennett, c	Richardson, c
Adams, rg	Scallott, rg
Hamilton, rt	Blake, rt
Browne, re	Hatch, re
Ireland, qb	Church, qb
Beedy, lb	Layne, lb
R. Croteau, rh	Bemis, rh
Davis, fb	Seavey, fb

Substitutes: GOULD—Fullbrick, Foster, W. Bennett, Bumpus, Haswell, Grover, McAllister, Dymont, Emmett, P. Croteau, Lowell, R. Bennett, Hill, Foey, Emery, Marshall, Kline, Smith, Melville, O'Brien, Hunt, French. KENNETT—Walton, Lavender, McClellan, Young, Matus, Irish, Ashnault.

Touchdowns—Davis 3, Melville. Points after—Davis 1, place kick. Gould 6 12 0—25

Referee—Topping; Umpire—Connors; Headlinesman—McLeod.

## BETHEL PRIMARY SCHOOL

**NEWS**—Dawnie Christie, Reporter  
The first grade had a Halloween Surprise Party Friday. Mrs. Adams filled the baskets which the children made last week with candy and each one had a funny jack-o-lantern marshmallow on top. They had all the orangeade they could drink!

Lola Largey has moved to Albany so she comes on the Albany bus. Grade three has two new pupils. Jean and Richard Farren.

The fourth grade has five new members. They are Earl Hart, Freda Hinkley, Gary Rainey, Mary Jane Spinney and Geraldine Walkor.

The sub-primary people have been very happy in their new room.

Ann Carter has been to the hospital. She has no tonsils now.

The second grade had a Halloween party. It was fun. Lots of people dressed up. Even the teacher couldn't guess who all of them were.

Grade two has three new members they are Silver Streak, Black-eyed Susan and Tonto. They are goldfish.

Most all of the children went to a puppet show at Gould Academy. It was a good show.

## McINNIS' MARKET

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Picnic Ham	79c	PILLSBURY ROBIN HOOD R & W ROYAL LILY	
SLICED Bacon	79c	SOFTASILKE CAKE FLOUR	45c
Corned Beef	45c	WHEATSWORTH CEREAL	
		TUMBO CHOCOLATE PUDDING 2 for 15c	

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## LOOKING AHEAD

GEORGE S. BENSON  
President—Harding College  
Seaford, Arkansas

### 140 Million Capitalists

"Soak the Rich" used to be quite a popular slogan in some quarters. Whether the same words are used today, the same idea still appeals to a large number of people. The plan put forward by these folks boils down to one main issue: limit the incomes of citizens in the high brackets and divide it among the other people. By putting more money in the hands of more people they hope to attain a greater prosperity. However, this economic Utopia theory runs afoul of economic fact and economic law. Its basic platform is hinged on the idea that most of the nation's money is held by a comparative few. A greater misconception is hardly possible. In the light of sound reasoning and cold statistics, the absurdity of this notion is obvious. No other civilization has seen a more equitable distribution of wealth among its people.

### The People's Money

For example, a tabulation of income tax returns for 1942 shows the full impact of the results of our American system. In that year the group of individuals receiving income of less than \$5,000 annually, representing 96 per cent of the country's population, paid 47 per cent of all federal personal income taxes. This, too, is the group which since 1931 has averaged at least 88 per cent of the nation's annual income. In comparison, some 1,321,000 people reported incomes in excess of \$5,000 during the same year. This group—approximately 4 per cent of the population—paid 53 per cent of

all federal personal income taxes. In the above-\$5,000 group, only 22.3 per cent of their income came from interest, dividends, rents, royalties, and annuities. This is a far cry from the well worn "coupon clippers" line of attack of radical planners.

All Groups Share  
Curiously enough, the lower income groups are far from being the underdog in distribution of income from these sources. The above-\$5,000 group was responsible for 37 per cent of all income from interest, dividends, and annuities, while the below-\$5,000 group pocketed 63 per cent of the income from the same sources. The lower income groups have a large stake in the nation's business and industry.

If these planners could limit the incomes of all individuals to \$10,000 before taxes and other fixed charges, some \$5.2 billion would be available for distribution to the lesser income people. Representing little more than 4 per cent of the national income, it would amount to only \$40 per capita—provided, of course, that there had been no economic or financial loss in the process of redistribution.

This would be a costly price to pay for the destruction of incentive, which would inevitably follow. Most "venture" capital would disappear. Since this is the source of all industrial progress, the immediate and certain result would be a breaking down of the national economy, a reduction of national income and of individual income. Freedom of the individual and his unlimited incentive for gain are dependent on each other. This way, everyone benefits.

### LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Mary Mills, Correspondent  
MARSTON - TIRRELL

The wedding of Miss Jean Tirrell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis A. Tirrell, and Lloyd W. Marston, son of Mrs. Edith Marston of Paris, took place Thursday evening, Oct. 30, 1947, at the home of the bride's parents at Locke Mills. Rev. King-ley Hawthorne officiated using the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a grey ensemble with black accessories and a corsage of white roses and carnations. She carried her paternal grandmother's wedding handkerchief.

The bride's sister, Mrs. Roger Twitchell, matron of honor, wore an aqua ensemble with black accessories and a corsage of shaded rose carnations.

Fern Tirrell, another sister of the bride, served as ring bearer and wore a suit with a corsage of white carnations.

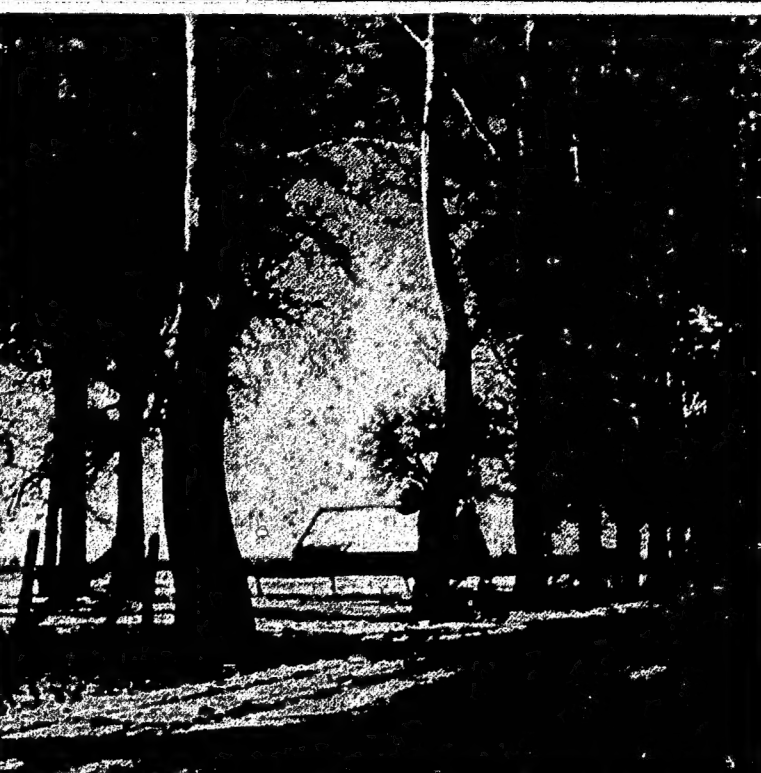
Roger Twitchell served as best man.

The bride's mother wore a pink and black dress and a corsage of white carnations. The groom's mother wore aqua with corsage of white carnations.

A reception followed the ceremony, and Miss Romona Farnum, cousin of the bride, had charge of the guest book.

The couple left for a wedding trip and will be at home after Nov.

## The SNAPSHOT GUILD



Here's a landscape which gains a "three-dimensional" feeling from the "frame" which the trees provide for the barn, from the way in which the road runs off in the distance.

### Gaining Depth In Landscapes

SEVERAL months ago, in one of these columns, we discussed the use of figures in scenic shots to provide a sort of scale—something to give someone looking at the picture an idea of the true size of different objects.

At that time we also mentioned the fact that the use of a figure in this way helps to lend "depth" to your pictures—helps to give them, in effect, a three-dimensional quality. This is because the figure in the foreground contrasts with the background scene.

However, you might like to know about several other ways of getting depth in your snapshots. One of these, of course, is "framing." A landscape is said to be "framed" when an overhanging branch of a tree or some other nearby object serves to form a pleasing vista or to make a "frame" for the scene. In today's shot the trees along the road serve as a frame for the barn.

Similarly, a building may often be "framed" by shooting from another building, say through an archway or between two columns.

Still another means of getting depth in scenic shots is by including a road or stream. Either one leads your eye "into" the picture and the apparent narrowing of the road or the stream as it winds in the distance helps lend that three-dimensional feeling.

Here, too, you may want to remember to shoot from an angle and, whenever possible, include a bend in the road. A curved road, or stream, is always more interesting than a perfectly straight one.

Still another method of gaining depth in scenes is through unusual lighting. Cross lighting, which provides long shadows to lead your eye helps give you that three-dimensional feeling. So will shafts of sunlight such as you may find piercing through woodland trees.

All of these ways of producing "depth" can help you make more pleasing landscape shots—more pleasing because they make you feel you are looking into a picture instead of looking at a flat piece of paper carrying images of some objects.

—John van Guilder

6, at 243 Main St., Auburn, Maine.

Mrs. Marston was educated at Wadsworth High School and Auburn Maine School of Commerce, and is now employed as bookkeeper at Bates Division of Bates Mfg. Co.

Mr. Marston was educated at South Paris Schools, served in World War II and is now employed by Palmer Construction Co. of Auburn.

Guests from out of town were the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Berry of Gorham, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farnum and daughters, Mary Stuart of Bryant Pond, and Miss Ramona of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Curtis of East Bethel; Miss Norrine Keene of Auburn; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Keene of Poland; Mrs. John Hildley of South Portland; and Mrs. Edith Marston and son, Harold, of Paris Hill.

The sixth grade reports that the proceeds from the social held recently amounted to \$20.50.

On Saturday afternoon the grammar room pupils accompanied by L. B. Emmons and Mrs. Olive Lurvey visited a feldspar mine in Greenwood once operated by Mr. Emmons. This visit to the mine is to aid the pupils in their study of science.

On Monday afternoon the pupils of the intermediate and grammar rooms with their teachers attended the puppet performance at Gould Academy.

On Nov. 12 from 10 to 12 AM there will be a free clinic at the town hall for children up to twelve years of age. Immunization for small pox, whooping cough and

diphtheria will be given to those who care for it.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lurvey are on a trip to Chicago.

Jason Bennett returned home from the CMG hospital Sunday.

### UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, Correspondent

Pfc. George Angevine has had a disability medical discharge from the Army and is home at this time. Earle Fow is doing fire patrol duty for the State in unorganized territory around here.

The Grange held a Beano game at the Hall Saturday evening. Mrs. Lila Barnett and Mrs. Katherine Enman were in South Paris Tuesday of this week.

W. F. Leach is working for the lumber company that is getting hardwood in Grafton to haul to Haverhill, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hutchinson and family of Haverhill, Mass., and Lee Yeaton of Beverly, Mass., were in town over the week end.

Mrs. Gunther of Bethel is now teaching here in place of Mrs. Penner.

### Men's Winter

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### WEST BETHEL

Miss Laura Bennett was a week end guest of Miss Lidel Maxim.

Oxford County Pomona Grange met Tuesday evening, Nov. 4, with Pleasant Valley Grange for its November meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy have moved to the Shaw place on Robinson Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Morrill are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter. The baby has been named Mary Jean.

Mr. and Mrs. William Leavitt of Norway spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mrs. Marjorie McAllister and Mrs. Mary Turner were Sunday guests of Mrs. Addie Wakefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy at their home on the old road.

Ivan Garey was in Norway the first of the week.

### WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Correspondent

### ESTES - NORRIS

Earl Stanley Estes of South Paris and Miss Leona Frances Norris of Buckfield were married Saturday, Nov. 1, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, pastor of the Universalist Church at her home. The double ring service was used.

Mr. Estes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Estes of South Paris. He attended South Paris High School and served two years in the U. S. Army. Mrs. Estes is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Norris of Buckfield. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Starbird. They will reside in South Paris.

Hilda Woods, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews celebrated her fourth birthday Saturday afternoon by entertaining a group of little people accompanied by their mothers. Those attending were Mrs. Stanley Perham and daughter Jane; Mrs. E. D. Curtis Jr. and son James; Mrs. Doris Cummings and sons, Klipp and Kent; Mrs. Clayton Bane and son, Douglas; Mrs. Guyson Davis and daughter, Patsy; Muriel Andrews, the hostess, and her sisters, Suzanne and Jackie. Games were in charge of Muriel and Suzanne Andrews. Other guests invited Thomas Davis and Cloyd Martin who were unable to attend. The decorations were in Hallowe'en colors. Refreshments were served including a beautiful decorated birthday cake.

### GROVER HILL

Mrs. N. A. Stearns, Correspondent

Mrs. Malcolm Mundt and daughters spent the week end with relatives in Westbrook.

Mrs. Harry Jordan, Bethel Village, was a guest Sunday of her son, Everett Boan, and family.

Several members of the Mundt family attended the funeral of John Silver in Gorham, Sunday. Mr. Silver was the husband of Mrs. Mundt's niece, the former Gertrude Grover.

Sunday callers at the home of Nathan A. Stearns were Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Mann of Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Noyes of North Conway, N. H.

Winfield Whitman of Bartlett, N. H., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Davis and daughter, Geraldine, from South Woodstock recently called on Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Stearns, the grand uncle and aunt of Mrs. Davis.

Lafayette Waterhouse of Norway recently visited his brother, Cleve Waterhouse, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Skillings were entertained at dinner by relatives in Rumford, Sunday, October 26.

Hilda received many nice gifts. Mrs. Hilda Woods of Malden, Mass., is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Lenwood Andrews, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Curtis visited their son, Linwood Curtis, and family of Bridgton and went to see the Brownfield and Hiram ruins.

Friday evening Oct. 31, a Hallowe'en banquet and social was held at the home of Mrs. Ethel Penley by the Past Noble Grand Association of Onward Rebekah Lodge. The following officers were elected to serve the coming year: President, Mrs. Nettie Chase; Vice-President, Mrs. Hazel Perham; Secretary, Mrs. Ursula Swift; Treasurer, Mrs. Adeline Mann; Press Reporter, Mrs. Jennie Dunham.

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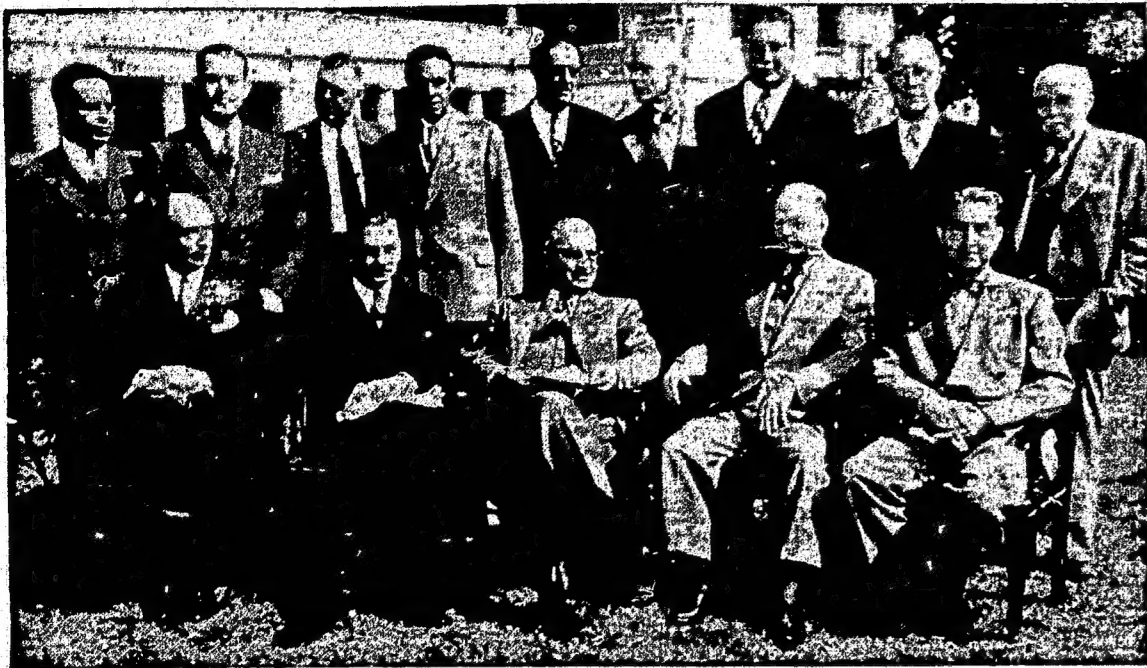
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WASHINGTON, D. C.—(Soundphoto)—Edwin G. Nourse, head of the President's Special Economic Advisory Council, told President Truman and his cabinet that rationing and price controls are essential to success of the food conservation program through which the U.S. is called upon to aid starving Europe. Left to right, seated: Robert A. Lovett, Acting Sec'y of State; Defense Sec'y James Foran; President Truman; Treasury Sec'y John Snyder; Attorney Gen'l Tom C. Clark. Left to right, rear: Leon Keyserling, Vice Chairman, Economic Council; Postmaster Gen'l Robert Hannegan; John R. Steelman, Truman's Assistant; Commerce Sec'y W. Averell Harriman; Agriculture Sec'y Clinton Anderson; Dr. Edwin G. Nourse, Chairman, Economic Advisory Council; Interior Sec'y J. A. Krug; Labor Sec'y Lewis Schwellenbach, and Gen. Philip Fleming, Federal Works Administrator.

## EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Rodney Howe, Correspondent

Haakon Olson has been ill with the asthma for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Remington and two children from York were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harrington over the week end.

Mrs. Evelyn Harrington and Mrs. Charles Smith and children, Garry and Donna, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore at South Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton E. Bean of Rumford called Sunday at the home of Mrs. Carrie Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Swan and Linnie Hutchins of Dixfield were guests of Mrs. Ida Blake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Kleth and son, Charles, of Livermore and Lotie Shackford of Auburn were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge Sunday.

Mrs. Evelyn Harrington, Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. Harold Olson, and Mrs. Chester Harrington were in Rumford Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe and sons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Stanley, Sunday.

Mrs. Ruth Hastings called on her mother, Mrs. George Coe, Sunday at Greenwood.

Kenneth Delano of Bethel was a week end guest of Warren Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe were supper guests of Miss Eva Bean Tuesday.

Deborah Farwell was home from Mexico over the week end.

Mrs. Fred Haines, Mrs. James Haines, Mrs. Bernice Wight and Mrs. Rodney Howe were in Wilton, Wednesday.

Kermit Wing and Luella Dorcy were callers Mrs. Ida Blake's Sunday.

A Halloween Party for the members of the East Bethel Sunday School was held Friday night at the home of Mrs. Fred Haines, the superintendent, the following were present: Serena Coolidge, Robert Coolidge, Alberta Coolidge, June Foster, Clarabelle Foster, John Foster, Robert Crockett, Howard Crockett, Charlotte Crockett, Gary Smith, Shirley Bartlett, Louise Farwell, Richard Farwell, Mary Louise Coolidge, Phyllis Coolidge, Arlene Coolidge, Clark Bartlett, Kleth Bartlett, Freddie Haines, Charlie Haines, Ann Hastings, Ronald Piper, Gerald Piper, Grace Smith.

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The prize for the most original Jack-o-Lantern was won by Alfred Hakala; second, Michael Walsanen; third, Duane Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes and family left for Providence, R. I., on Friday afternoon and will return on Sunday.

Mrs. Wilbur Yates is able to be out again. She called on Mrs. Leonas Holt on Thursday.

Mrs. L. B. Emmons of Locke Mills called on friends here, Saturday afternoon.

Marie Morey of West Paris spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Stanley Hakala.

A forest fire broke out not far from Eino Tamminen's on Saturday afternoon. Early discovery and the arrival of men and pumps checked it before it had spread over more than an acre.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan spent Sunday afternoon with Ernest Curtis at West Paris.

Mrs. and Mrs. Lauri Tamminen of Yarmouth and Mrs. Ruth Hastings of East Bethel were callers at Mrs. George Cole's on Sunday.

Nancy Jordan has employment at Norway.

Farmers will have another good year in 1948, predicts the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U.S. Department of Agriculture.

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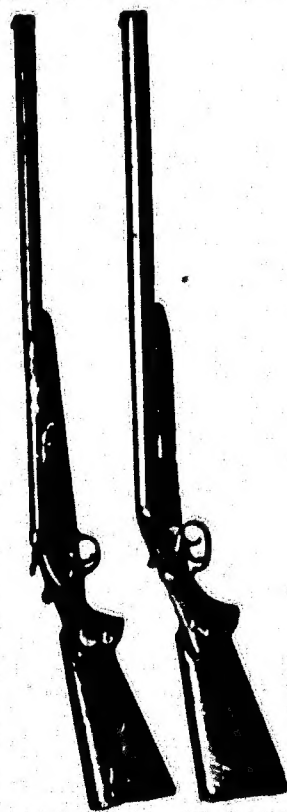
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## NEWRY MAN FOUNDED UTAH CITY IN 1847

Ferrigine Sessions Was Early Mormon Missionary — One of Pioneers—Father of 54 Children

A Newry man helped to make history 100 years ago when he became the first settler in the city of Bountiful, Utah. The story is told in the Oct. 2 issue of the Layton, Utah, Journal, a copy of which was sent to the Citizen by a former local man, Levi Heyward, now a reader of the Citizen at Kaysville, Utah. We quote:

One hundred years ago September 20, Ferrigine Sessions came out from Salt Lake City as the first settler of Bountiful, the second oldest city in Utah. He came to the valley with the Thomas Kane group in charge of 50 people. From his diary we read: "Most of the Saints were obliged to walk on foot and many without shoes, but after four months we landed in this valley on the 24th of September, 1847, all well and not a death among the 400 souls. We stayed with the main camp for five days, then I took a herd of cattle and my family and started north. Here I made the first wagon tracks past the Hot Springs that was ever made. I traveled for ten miles before making camp." His family with him was his wife, Lucine Cull

Sessions, and their two children, Carlos and Martha Ann. . . . During those first years it was so dry throughout here the ground had huge cracks, large enough that cattle would fall into them and be lost. The struggle for water was constant. Indians were also one of their problems, and in 1852 a large wall was started around the settlement.

Ferrigine Sessions was born in Newry, Maine, June 15, 1814. He joined the L D S church in 1835 and came to Kirkland in 1837. He lived in Nauvoo at the time of the Prophet Joseph's death, and left there with the first pioneers, remaining in Winter Quarters until ordered to come west to the Great Salt Lake valley.

Mr Sessions spent 15 years of his life in the mission field. He had eight wives during polygamy, and was the father of 54 children, 30 sons and 24 daughters, 17 of whom are living now.

They became self-sustaining almost at once in their new settlement, raising all of their own consumption including sugarcane for their own molasses and the first molasses mill. The seeds they brought started some of the first orchards in this vicinity, and the Sessions plums were started from pits carried by Mrs Sessions in her apron pocket across the plains. Mr Sessions helped to build the

first grist mill and the first saw mill in this section. All of his children and the other community children were sent to their own private school, the "Patty Sessions Academy," located just east of the Bamberger station. It was owned and run by Mr Sessions' mother, who also acted as midwife for the new settlers. She kept a record and states that she brought 3977 children into the world during her life, taking as pay anything the people had to give. She died in Bountiful at the age of 98 years and five months. Ferrigine Sessions died at 78, and was also buried in Bountiful.

"The Sessions House" was the first hotel and post office and for many years thousands of way-farers and travelers were fed and sheltered beneath its roof. It was built in 1851 where the Sessions' first camped in Bountiful, and was also used as the ward house, known as the North canyon ward house.

In 1857 the first church was started. It is the present stake house, Mr Sessions donated out-fits and work for this.

## THE LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

Well folks, these latest new kind of days—"no chicken on Thursday," "no meat on Tuesday," etc.—they give me an idea for another new kind of day. Maybe it can be squeezed in some place—and will catch on. I am calling it "no chaos day." On that day it will be quiet—nobody will break out in a lather that something has gotta be done before sundown or disaster will overtake us. If there is one thing in this land-of-the-free that we can have more of, but which does not seem to be cramping our style too much it is "threatened chaos." Chaos is hanging over our head like a chicken hawk in a barnyard.

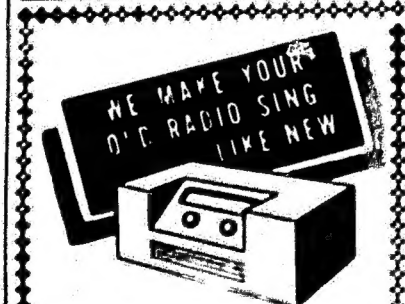
Folks go to bed fearful of what will be on the radio at 7 next morning. Stomach ulcers and irritated dispositions come next. And anybody thinking that stomach ulcers are not our national affliction, let him hesitate for one-half second at a red stop-light. The raucous toots from behind will tell him.

My new "no chaos day," if we could arrange to have it coincide with election day, I kinda figure the quietness might help. Anybody not endorsing this idea, he might drop in on his doctor—2 to one it is in his stomach.

Yours with the low down,  
JO BERRA

## HEALTH OF MAINE CHILDREN COULD BE IMPROVED

Most Maine children need more milk to build strong bones and healthy bodies, points out Maine Extension Circular 237, "Maine Children Can be Healthy." The new publication says Pine Tree State children need to eat fruits and vegetables every day of the kind high in vitamins A and C, and that they need at least one egg every day. The brief circular, describes a number of physical defects which are signs of improper diet. It may be obtained from county home demonstration agents or by writing to the Agricultural Extension Service, University of Maine, Orono.



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## CAPITOL STUFF

by Governor Horace Hildreth

Augusta, November 3.—As a result of our damaging forest fires, questions are being asked about salvage of burned timber. Forest Commissioner Raymond E. Rendell and Extension Forester A. D. Nutting make these suggestions for the owners of burned timber to consider:

Any timber trees that will continue to produce seed in Maine's burned areas should be left to grow. The hardness of the bark and the density of the tree bark are factors to take into consideration in the burned timber areas. In some areas winds carried the fire so fast that trees probably were not damaged sufficiently to kill them. It is natural and often necessary to move fast to salvage everything possible after a large fire.

The fire problem is still acute and too close at hand for most owners to start a planned salvage program. Such a salvage of timber very definitely destroyed beyond recovery can be done easiest this fall before deep snow arrives and should be under way by the middle to latter part of November.

Most owners of burned timber should make careful plans before starting their salvage cutting. It will be safe to wait until spring to know the true picture where there may be any doubt as to the severity of burn. Naturally they want to realize the most money possible from it. This means careful consideration of the best way to operate and market the timber. However, from the standpoint of land management a few facts about burned trees should be considered first.

In any fast moving fire, occasional islands or groups of green trees are left. They will be valuable as a source of seed, a cover for game, and a nucleus for restoration of forest beauty. Thick bark trees usually will survive. A light ground fire even though the barks may be fire scarred, requires that the owner look over his trees carefully before cutting to see where salvage can be postponed temporarily.

Experiences from the 1938 hurricane showed that owners who waited for the shock of disaster to pass and then planned their salvage operations came out with more profits than most of those who did not plan.

All salvageable trees will remain good until next May. Pine and spruce trees heavily burned will be attacked by wood borers from

May to October, but even during this period, if the boards are square edged, little damage should result. In fact, insect (borer) injury will lessen the tree's value but not destroy its usefulness. It is advised that all boards over one inch in thickness should be square edged. Logs not immediately sawed during the coming spring and summer should be placed in water to keep the borers out. Burned hemlock and hardwoods, affected very little by borers, can be salvaged later than pine and spruce.

Lightly burned over areas should not be planted to pine seedlings for over a year. There is likely to be a heavy loss from the Pales Weevil which swarm in on burned areas and girdle young trees that may be planted.

Timber is in good demand, which will be very beneficial in carrying out the salvage program and the volume of burned timber in Maine can be handled without disrupting lumber markets. The pulpwood market can handle all the common pulpwood species and possibly some of the white pine and hardwoods too small for lumber.

Lumber will be needed for rebuilding in area. In case some of the lumber is going to be used for home building, knowing the lengths and dimensions before cutting will pay the owner well.

There will be a tendency to bid against each other for labor, trucking, and milling. Bidding against each other should be kept to a minimum or costs will eat up all stumpage value. If labor, trucks and mills are concentrated in these areas, there should be enough to do the job without greatly increasing competition over the present. Green timber near the burned areas should be allowed to grow to lessen salvage problems and supply seed for the burned areas.

Forest survey of burned areas will commence as soon as conditions permit by foresters, entomologist, and game experts. Advice on restoration and reforestation will be published in the press and at group meetings during the coming year.

The offices of the Maine Forest Service and the Extension Service will be available to assist timber and woodlot owners just as soon as the fires are definitely out and the problems known.

## VA ANNOUNCES NEW OFFICE HOURS

Richard E. Fortier, Officer in Charge of the Veterans Administration Office, 14 Lisbon Street, Lewiston, announces that effective November 1, 1947, new office hours will be from 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday.

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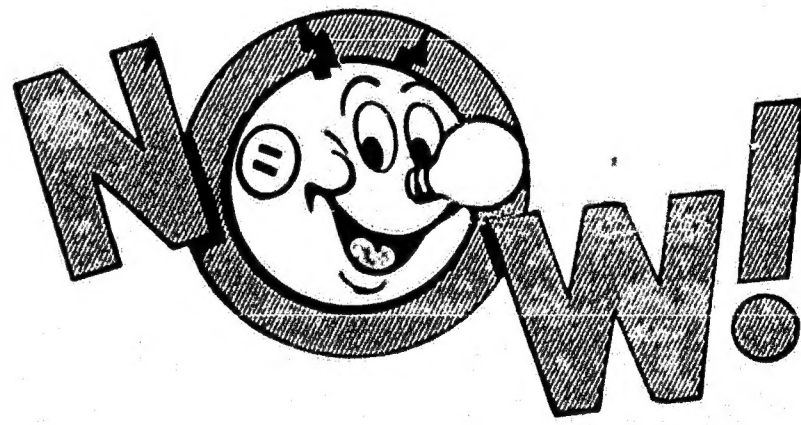
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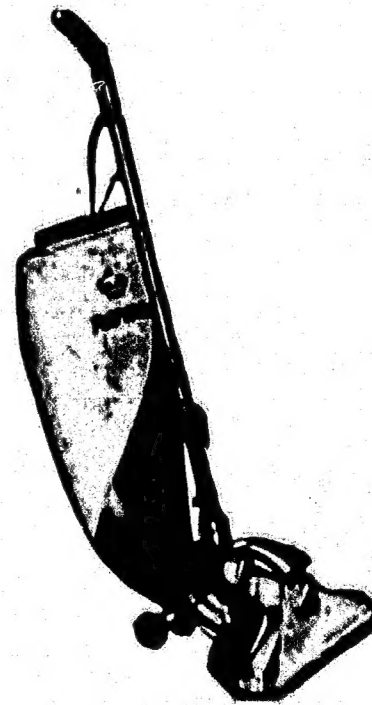


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## NORTH NEWRY

—Mrs. L. E. Wight, Correspondent

The children of the Branch School enjoyed a Halloween party and Box Supper Tuesday night, Oct. 28. Parents and neighbors were invited.

Waldo Tripp is visiting at the home of his brother, S. T. Tripp and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Rowland and family are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Lane.

The State Road crews are putting up snow fences.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Calvin of Bar Harbor spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight.

L. E. Wight and Miss Carrie Wight attended Pomona Grange at West Bethel Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blake of South Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Enman of Bethel were visiting relatives in Grafton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Calvin were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wight Friday night.

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## MIDDLE INTERVALE

—Mrs. Augustus Carter, Correspondent

Ann Carter submitted to a tonsillotomy at the St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, Monday.

Mrs. Frances Gunther is teaching at Upton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cotton, Jr., and family of Mechanic Falls spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carter.

Prof. Lawrence Kimball of Lewiston was at his home over the week end.

## Birthday Party

Richard Carter was tendered a birthday party Saturday evening by Mrs. Richard Carter. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Stevens, Mary Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. John Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cotton, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carter. Richard was presented with an extension light from the neighbors and money from relatives. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served.

Cards have been received from Fred Stanley saying he is having a nice trip to California.

## NORTH WOODSTOCK

—Mrs. C. James Knights, Cor.

Mrs. Cora Millett recently spent an evening with Mrs. Edgar Davis and Mrs. Lee Billings.

Mrs. Merrill Barker of Walker's Mills visited Monday with Mrs. Lee Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole, son Richard, and Mary Ann Knights spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Buck are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at the Rumford Community Hospital named Brian Kenneth. She came home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Whitney spent the week end in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Warner, Jr., and son spent the week end at

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their house on the Gore.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitman entertained relatives from Lebanon on Sunday.

Mrs. Edgar Davis and granddaughter visited relatives at West Paris one afternoon last week. She also called to see Francis Cole at Noyes Nursing Home.

Mrs. C. James Knights was at Lewiston one day last week with Mrs. Earle Whitney.

Mary Emery spent the week end with Christine Knights.

Harry Howe visited one afternoon recently at Edgar Davis.

Mrs. Carroll Yates was given a surprise personal shower at the home of Mrs. Frank Hayes last Friday afternoon.

Carroll Yates went to West New-

field (one of the fire areas) Sunday. He went with members of the Fish and Game Association.

Clarence Smith is progressing on his new house.

Mrs. Carroll Yates was at South Paris Saturday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayes.

A thorough and careful job of plowing under all corn stubble will go a long way toward controlling the European corn borer.

## National Forest Timber for Sale

Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, Lacombe, N. H., until 10:00 a.m., December 12, 1947, and then publicly opened, for all the merchantable timber marked for cutting on an area of about 28 acres in the drainage of Bog Brook, Mason, Maine, White Mountain National Forest. The volumes stated below are not guaranteed, but are the result indicated by tree measurement and are final for this sale: 65 MBF white pine, 1 MBF hemlock, 1 MBF Norway pine, 9 cords fir. No bid will be considered of less than \$700.00. Each bid must be accompanied by a deposit for the full amount bid. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Before bids are submitted, all bidders should examine the marking on the chance and obtain full information concerning the timber, the condition of sale, and submission of bids, from the District Forest Ranger at South Paris, Maine, or from the Forest Supervisor, Lacombe, N. H. A conducted inspection of the sale area will be made on Friday, November 21, 1947. Interested persons should assemble at the West Bethel Post Office at 9:00 a.m. 45-47

## SOUTH ALBANY

Mr. and Mrs. John Meserve have closed their home at Hunt's Corner and moved to Bethel for the winter.

Arthur Wardwell is trucking logs for Hugh Stearns to "Dolly" Lapham's mill.

Sunday callers at Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell's were, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perry from Norway and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cummings and family from North Waterford.

Joseph Pachnik was in Norway last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell were in Waterford and Norway on business last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Bumpus attended Pomona Grange at West Bethel Tuesday evening.

## ESTIMATE OF TOTAL POTATO CROP RISES

The estimate of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics as to the size of the 1947 United States potato crop has gone up 10 million bushels in a month, with about half the total increase in Maine. The present estimate of a crop of 378 million bushels of spuds is 21 per cent under the record crop of last year but is 2 million bushels above the 1936-1945 average.

A colony of bees is made up of a queen, at least a few drones, and a large number of workers.

## GILEAD

Warren Brown went to Bethel Monday where he has employment at Bryant's store.

Mrs. Florence Holden was in Berlin, N. H., Tuesday.

Victor Brown of Gorham, N. H., spent the week end at the home of Russell Cole.

Mrs. Geraldine Dorey of Bethel spent the week end in town.

Lloyd Roberts of Lewiston spent the week end with his father, L. T. Roberts.

## SOUTH BETHEL

Mrs. Edgar Rainey and Mrs. John Nowlin were in Norway Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker, Jr., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker, Sr.

Mrs. John Nowlin was in Rumford Tuesday.

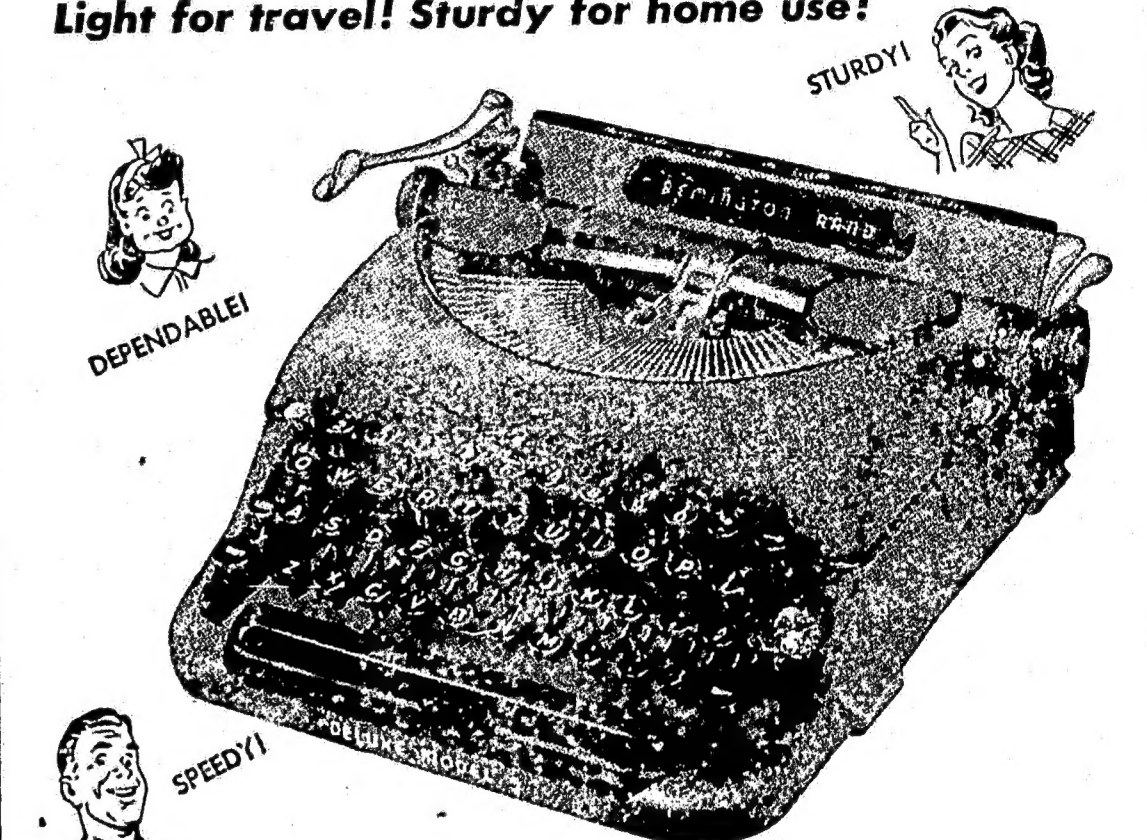
## NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed Admrx. of the estate of Lula Willey late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

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**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH** Rev. K. W. Hawthorne, Minister. Church School 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. The Fortnightly Club will meet at 7:00 Sunday evening in the Chapel.

The members of the Guild are looking forward to an evening of music on Wednesday at 7:30, Nov. 12, in the Chapel. The hostesses for the meeting are Marguerite Scott, Muriel Bowhay and Barbara Kuzik.

The Second Cub Scout organization meeting will be held on Thursday evening at 7:00 in the Chapel.

**METHODIST CHURCH** William Penner, Pastor. 9:45 Church School, Miss Minnie Wilson, superintendent.

11:00 Morning worship service. Sermon theme: "The Weapons of Peace."

6:30 Youth Fellowship meeting at the Church.

Thursday, Nov. 13, the Annual Christmas Sale of the W S C S will be held in the Odd Fellows hall. Time, 2:30 o'clock. There will be many attractive articles for sale. Come and do your Christmas shopping early.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY** Sunday School for pupils, up to 21 years of age at 10 o'clock.

Sunday Services at 10:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:30.

All are cordially invited to attend.

"Adam and Fallen Man" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Nov. 9.

The Golden Text is: "Ye were sometimes darkness, but now are ye light in the Lord: walk as children of light" (Ephesians 5: 8).

The citations from the Bible include the following passages: "And the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam, and he slept; and he took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh there; and the rib, which the Lord God had taken from, made he a woman, and brought her unto man" (Genesis 2: 21-22).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following selections from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "God never alumbers, and His likeness never dreams. Mortals are the Adam dreamers. What indicates the fall of man or the opposite of God or God's absence, in the Adam-dream, for it is not begotten of the Father" (pages 240-21-23 and 228-23-31).

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**SUNDAYS** 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist. 9:30 AM Holy Eucharist and Sermon. Church School (Morning) Prayer 2nd and 4th Sundays.

**RALPH L. GROVER REENLISTS IN THE AIR FORCE**

Ralph L. Grover, 20, son of Mrs. Ella Grover of West Bethel, reenlisted in the Air Force for a three year period, last week, announced Sgt. Howard H. Longley, NCO in charge of the Army and Air Force Recruiting Station located at 121 Congress St., in Rumford.

Ralph attended and graduated from Gould Academy in Bethel and is a veteran of 19 months previous service. He was reenlisted as a Corporal.

Another Oxford County boy enlisting at the same time was Gordon M. Billings, 18, son of Harry S. Billings of Bryant Pond.

Sgt. Longley stated that a Recruiting Sergeant would be at the Bethel Post Office each Thursday morning to answer questions concerning the new Regular Army and Air Force All Recruiting Personnel will be glad to help veterans and families of veterans with problems connected with their service, announced Sgt. Longley.

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## SUNDAY RIVER

Mr and Mrs Leslie Kendall and sons are in town for a few days.

Mr and Mrs Ralph Moore were in town Sunday.

Ramsey Reynolds and Clifton Jackson replanked Miles Nole bridge recently.

R M Fleet is recovering from a recent heart attack and is able to about again.

Mr and Mrs R L Foster were in Bethel Friday.

Leslie Lapham is building a chimney for Robert F Bean.

J B Chapman was at his farm Saturday.

Mrs Nettie Fleet called on Mrs. Addie Wakefield last Wednesday.

Mr and Mrs Estes Yates were in Norway Saturday.

Mr Nary is doing the mason work for Mrs Dean Brundage.

Mrs Mina Nowlin was a recent caller on Mrs Esther Powers.

Gene Thurlow called on Mrs Esther Powers and Charles Frost recently.

Church School at 2:30 and Church at 3 p. m. Sunday, Nov. 9 at the school house.

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**10 YEARS AGO - Nov. 4, 1937.** Oxford Pomona Grange met at the Bethel Grange Hall.

Llewellyn W Ramsell died in his sleep after a few days illness.

**20 YEARS AGO - Nov. 3, 1927.** A lecture on Christian Science was given at Odeon Hall by Paul Stark Seeley of Portland, Ore.

Mrs Ellen Burbank died at her home on Railroad Street.

**30 YEARS AGO - Nov. 8, 1917.** Dr I H Wight, F L Edwards, Philip Chapman attended the Kents Hill-Hebron game at Hebron.

Mrs Amanda Frye Morton, widow of Dr J A Morton of Bethel, died at Andover.

**40 YEARS AGO - Nov. 6, 1907.** Rev Charles N Gleason resigned as pastor of the Congregational Church.

George Mack, a rougher at the Steam Mill, split his thumb while working, and in a similar accident, Guy Willey cut off the end of his thumb.

Fred Bartlett escaped injury when he jumped from the rear of his carriage when the bridge broke

and his horse started to run away on Main Street. The horse was caught unharmful at the Ryerson place (Mayville) after it had run to the Stowell place and turned around.

**EAST BETHEL SCHOOL NEWS** by Ann Hastings, Reporter

We had a Halloween party last week. We had fun too. Some of us hobbled for apples and Mrs Holt brought some candy.

Robert Curtis was hurt seriously last week.

Dorothy Bartlett was sick all last week.

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Mrs Curtis visited our school Thursday.

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